

(Delayed in transmission.)—A report from a Japanese intelligence source says the recent Japanese landing at Kai Chou was a feint, and that the real landing was made fifty miles further south.

FORTIFIED AT ANPING.

Russians Have Sent Guns from New Chwang to that Point and Have Strong Entrenchments.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW CHWANG, May 9.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Of the five Russian regiments which were in the garrison here, four have left and the other received orders to go to-day, but this order was cancelled an hour later.

The Russians are strongly entrenched at Anping, where the guns from the New Chwang forts have been sent.

Colonel Muenster, the military adviser of the Chinese forces, arrived here this afternoon. It is believed he came to New Chwang to confer with the Russians regarding the proposal to turn New Chwang over to the Chinese.

The Russians are known to be communicating with the Chinese brigands and to be stirring up a state of terror among the natives.

AMERICANS REFUSED TO AID

Minister Charges That Vicksburg Declined to Take Sick and Wounded Aboard.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, May 9.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The United States Consul at Chemulpo, Korea, has been pronounced by M. Pavloff, the Russian minister to Korea, whose official report is gazetted in the official messenger this morning. M. Pavloff says:

"The commander of the Vicksburg offered to send a surgeon to offer medical help to the wounded on the cruisers Varig and Korietz; but the officer in charge stated, in the name of his commander, that it was impossible for him to take any Russians on board his ship. The command of the Vicksburg thereupon declined assistance."

"The commander of the Vicksburg offered to receive the Imperial mission if it was compelled to leave Korea, but declined the offer, stating that I would go on a French cruiser."

"Twenty-one Russians, who were on the French cruiser Pascal, were suffering from gangrene, and, fearing that the disease would be communicated to the other wounded, the commander of the Pascal refused to take them on board, but the American commander positively refused to do so."

M. Pavloff insists emphatically that deception was practiced by the Japanese telegraph office in failing to transmit his official dispatches, which would have given him timely warning from St. Petersburg and Port Arthur of the imminence of hostilities. The dispatch, dated February 27, reported the current Russian diplomatic negotiations had been broken off and another, dated February 27, reported the landing of Japanese troops at Misampo, Korea, and their expected landing at Chemulpo.

COMMANDER EXPLAINS

Capt. Marshall, of the Vicksburg, Gives Satisfactory Explanation Concerning His Action.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—The chief of the Bureau of Navigation of the Navy Department to-day was called to the official report of M. Pavloff, Russian minister to Korea, which was gazetted in the official messenger, stating that the commander of the Vicksburg refused, after the engagement at Chemulpo to take aboard this vessel wounded men from the Russian warships Varig and Korietz. The bureau produced the following extract from the report of Commander W. Marshall, commanding the Vicksburg at Chemulpo, which the officials regard as a complete rebuttal:

"About 12:30 P. M. (February 27th), both Russian vessels (Korietz and Varig) headed in toward the anchorage at full speed, and as they approached it was seen that the Varig had a list to port and appeared to be on fire aft on the port quarter, a number of Japanese in pursuit, until about a mile inside of the anchorage, but not firing, the foreign men-of-war were directly in line of fire, when they gave up the chase and rejoined their squadron outside. At 12:50 the Varig anchored, about four hundred yards to the southward of her. The Varig, with the Elba about six hundred yards to the southward of her. On learning that she had quite a number of wounded men I sent our medical officer on board to render assistance. The same was done by the Talbot, Elba and Pascal."

A little later on, on its being reported that the Varig was in a sinking condition, two of our cruisers, the Elba and the Boston, went to her assistance, assisted in taking off her personnel and putting them on board the Talbot and Elba."

Two Russian officers (engineers) were brought on board the Vicksburg and taken care of for some time, and on my offering to have the Zafiro used as temporary quarters, they were taken to the Elba, and where their captain remained and declined my offer with thanks."

It is pointed out by the chief of the Navigation Bureau that the Zafiro, which has been tendered as a hospital ship, is a roomy naval transport and is much more suitable for the accommodation of the wounded than the little Vicksburg, with its cramped quarters."

PLAN FOR OUR SHIPS.

They Will Not Go Into Theatre of War Without Grave Reasons.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—It is said that the two United States warships which have been ordered to Chefoo, will act under the instructions suggested by the American minister and the consul at New Chwang. It is believed

that the ships will not go into the theatre of war without grave reasons.

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they will not advance the ships from the nearest neutral port into the theatre of war without very grave reasons. So the captain of the ships will communicate with Minister Congo, who in turn, is expected to communicate with Consul Miller at New Chwang, though how he is to do this in the event that telegraph lines are broken is not suggested here.

Delayed Conger's Message.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW CHWANG, May 9.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The United States Consul, Mr. Muller, was prevented for a time from telegraphing to Minister Conger a statement of the situation here. Mr. Muller's message was released after he had made a strong protest on the subject.

Many Japanese spies are at this vicinity, disguised as beggars. They have cut the wires to the mines at the mouth of the Liao River. The feeling of unrest is increasing here.

U. S. Minister Returned.

(By Associated Press.)
CAPE HATYEN, May 10.—United States Minister Powell has returned to Port Arthur.

Cotton a Contraband of War.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, May 10.—An Imperial order, declaring cotton contraband of war, was officially gazetted this morning. This action was taken because of the use of cotton in the manufacture of high explosives.

Russia Enters Protest.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, May 10, 6:48 P. M.—Russia has protested to the powers signatory of The Hague and Geneva conventions against the action of the Japanese in firing on the Red Cross train from Port Arthur May 8th, when 200 sick and wounded on the cars, two were struck by Japanese bullets.

JAPS MIGRATE

They Will Come to This Country and Settle in Louisiana, Where They Will Cultivate Rice.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW ORLEANS, May 10.—Probably the first direct "development effect" to be felt in the Louisiana territory as a result of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition is the semi-official recognition given by the Japanese commission that the immigration movement from Japan to the rice growing country in Louisiana is not only possible, but is a number of Japanese, now in St. Louis, will leave for Louisiana and Texas under the escort of Mr. R. Onishi, who will take them throughout the rice country on a tour of inspection. About the same time, a party of more than 100 Japanese who are now on route from Japan from San Francisco will reach Houston. The latter will settle in the rice country and become rice farmers. Two members of this party, it is said, are bringing with them more than \$100,000 each, with which to purchase rice lands and start Japanese colonies.

KOREANS SURRENDER.

Garrison of Seventy-Five Gives Themselves Up to Russian Scouts.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, May 10.—The general staff has received a dispatch from Major-General Karkevitch dated May 9th, which says:

"On May 5th, our scouts discovered at Liao Yalupso, fourteen miles north of Takushan on the left bank of the Kaline River, a Japanese detachment, one regiment strong. During a fusillade with a lack of Japanese sharpshooters one Cossack was killed."

"At Liao Myako, eight miles north of Takushan, on the same bank of the river our scouts were subjected to firing from the right bank."

"On the same day they met on the main road from Feng Wang Cheng, four and a half miles from Saltzupda, on the Talline River, and twenty-one miles north of Taku Shan, the extreme outpost of the enemy's scouts, who hid in the mountains."

"According to Chinese information Japanese detachments numbering three infantry regiments in all are in the mountains fifteen or twenty miles from Doxanche."

"A telegram from General Karkevitch dated May 8th, reports that the Korean garrison at Jekton, on the Yalu River, consisting of seventy-five men has surrendered to the Russian scouts in that town also giving up 700 pounds of food and forage prepared for the Japanese."

On April 22nd another party of scouts had an encounter with a small detachment of Japanese cavalry at Mee Hong, seven miles south of Pekton, but sustained no casualties. On the same day General Karkevitch occupied the town of Pekton-Lin, twenty miles south of Pekton. Here he destroyed a considerable quantity of provisions. On that day also a third detachment of scouts had a skirmish with a small detachment of

Japanese. The Russians sustained no losses.

A Russian scouting party encountered the enemy seven miles from Ujan, and eighteen miles northward of Pekton, near the Yalu River. The enemy's force was composed of 200 Korean soldiers and 200 Japanese wearing Korean uniforms. The force occupied a position on the steep heights. After a well sustained fire, the enemy withdrew to Ujan. Russian casualties were one soldier killed and four wounded and seven horses killed.

On May 2d eight Cossacks, reconnoitering between Sinsin, forty miles east of Mukden and Talsnehan, thirty miles southwest of Sinsin, were attacked at Talsnehan by a band of Chinese bandits. Durckblers appeared from the Chinese bandits. During the ensuing fusillade one Cossack was wounded and three horses were killed. A guide and a Chinese interpreter also were killed.

MANAGEMENT IRREGULAR

Russian Nobility Trifle With Funds of Red Cross Treasury.

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, May 10.—Die Post publishes a news agency dispatch from St. Petersburg, which says that General Schwedoff lost over half a million dollars through speculation in stocks, and took the money from the Red Cross Treasury. In order to avoid scandal the Empress Dowager, who is the protectress of the Red Cross Society, and a friend of General Schwedoff, reimbursed the sum that Prince Galtzain and Count Lanskoy have also been guilty of irregularities in connection with the Red Cross management.

DROVE OFF ENEMY

Rerodded That General Stoessel Has Driven Back Japs on Port Arthur Railroads.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, May 10.—It is reported that Lieutenant-General Stoessel, commander of the military forces at Port Arthur, has successfully engaged and driven off the enemy. The general staff has a confirmation of this report, and explains the withdrawal of the Japanese from the railroad as being either due to pressure from General Stoessel or to the forces left by General Kuropatkin at Kai-Ping and other points on the railroad.

While without definite information, the impression here is that the strength of the Japanese force landed at Port Arthur was overestimated, and that either it was not strong enough to take charge of the railroad or it moved eastward along the railroad to effect a junction with the Yalu army.

The Emperor received the news of the repulsing of communication with Port Arthur last night, and seemed greatly pleased. He had a message from Port Arthur an hour before by pigeon post, via Liao Yung, reporting that all was well at the fortress.

As General Stoessel has not reported the investment of Port Dalny, the reports from abroad of its capture by the Japanese are now disbelieved by the general staff.

The admiralty heard from Vladivostok, Rear Admiral Jessen's squadron is there and reports all well.

Rice Soars High.

(By Associated Press.)
SEOUL, KOREA, May 9.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Owing to the heavy purchases of rice by the Japanese army, the price of that commodity in the vicinity of the Red Cross train at Ujan has doubled, and is now quoted at three yen per twenty-five pounds. The forces of Korean coolies in military employ are not affected by this advance in prices, on account of the extremely low daily wages they receive, but the mine laborers are hard hit, and it has been necessary to send some junk loads of rice north to prevent threatened distress.

No Smallpox at Mukden

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, May 10, 3:40 P. M.—The following statement was made to the Associated Press to-day regarding the reported epidemics at Mukden:

"There are some cases of dysentery and smallpox, and several cases of typhus in the Mukden hospitals, but there has been no application for more surgeons nor for special remedies or serum, and it is entirely misleading to say that epidemics exist. Smallpox and typhus are inevitable where large bodies of men are crowded together. There is nothing alarming in this situation."

Ships Cannot Leave Chemulpo

(By Associated Press.)
SEOUL, April 30.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The Japanese authorities peremptorily refuse to permit steamers to sail from Chemulpo for Chinnampo or to leave that port.

Long Sentence for Murder.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 10.—The trial of John and Gus Murray and John Rice for the murder of James Rice at Pell-Branch, in the county of Madison, N. C., 1902, was ended in Superior Court this morning, when the jury declared that all three were guilty of first degree murder in the second degree. John and Gus Murray were sentenced to 18 years and John Rice to 10 years imprisonment.

Trinity, 6; Wofford, 0.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DURHAM, N. C., May 10.—The last game of the season was played to-day with Wofford. Score 6 to 0 in favor of Trinity. Bradsher, Trinity's twirler, has made a fine record this season, having pitched seven innings, allowing only 37 hits, and gave two men out in three innings. For three games he was made "brave."

For Contempt.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PAYETTEVILLE, N. C., May 10.—Judge Peebles today issued rule, to be served on members of the Union War, for contempt proceedings should not be instituted against them. Rule returnable here Saturday.

Oliver Bailed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHATHAM, May 10.—Chas. W. Oliver was bailed for \$3,000 to appear on the second day of the June term of Circuit Court. Oliver has been twice indicted for a triple murder in the murder of Jacob Davis. On Saturday he was indicted for maliciously wounding the same man.

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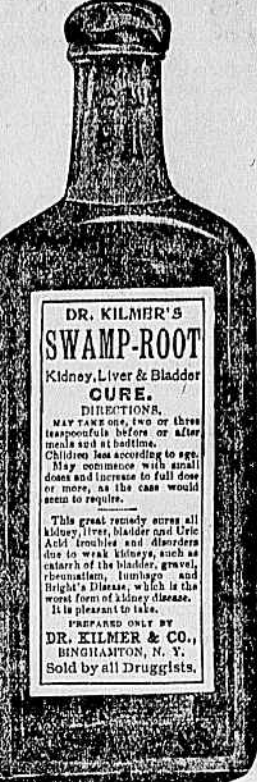
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